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Madison, Wisconsin -- Stephen P. Sinnott, United States Attorney for the Western District of Wisconsin, announced that Donald L. Gasser, DOB 12-29-54, of Oregon, Wisconsin, was sentenced on May 26, 2006, by U.S. District Judge Barbara B. Crabb to 24 months in federal prison for attempting to possess child pornography. Gasser pleaded guilty to this charge on March 10, 2006.

In February 2004, Gasser visited a sexually-oriented internet site and ordered a DVD containing child pornography. The advertisement for the DVD made it clear what the material contained and that it was illegal. After questioning by law enforcement, Gasser admitted to ordering child pornography.

United States Attorney Sinnott praised the efforts of law enforcement in their attempts to thwart the proliferation of child pornography. The charge against Gasser was the result of an investigation conducted by the United States Postal Inspection Service. The prosecution of the case has been handled by Assistant U.S. Attorney David J. Reinhard.

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